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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Statement of Reasons for Allowance are only warranted in instances in which "the record of the prosecution as a whole does not make clear the Examiner's reasons for allowing a claim or claims." 37 C.F.R. 1.104(e). In the present case, Applicant believes the record as a whole makes clear the reasons for allowance and therefore no statement by the Examiner is necessary or warranted. Furthermore, the Examiner incorrectly described elements of the independent claims on his Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Therefore, the record should reflect that Applicant does not necessary agree with the statement in the reasons for allowance.

In particular, the Examiner loosely paraphrases the language of the Claims in the Statement of Reasons for Allowance. For example, in the description relating to Claim 1, the Examiner refers to "both Miller and Ahuja compensation circuits". Claim 1 recites a Miller compensation capacitor and an Ahjua compensation circuit. The Examiner's statements relating to other claims contain similar errors. Applicant's claims should be limited only by the terms utilized therein. Thus, Applicant hereby submits these Comments in an effort to ensure that the claims are properly construed based only upon limitations that are present therein and/or to ensure that the claims are not interpreted so as to include any additional claim limitations that are not found in the respective claims.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Eric B. Janofsky at the telephone number set forth below. If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501236 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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